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In re the application of:

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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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Dear Sir:

A Certificate of Correction, as shown on the accompanying form, is requested for the above-referenced patent.

In claim 1, the term "compound" should read "dendrimer". During prosecution, all other occurrences of "compound" in the claims were amended to "dendrimer", such that "the compound" is no longer anteceded in the claim and the element referred to by this term is now termed "dendrimer". Applicants believe that this antecedent basis error is obvious on its face and request issuance of a Certificate of Correction.

The text at column 10, lines 49 to 50, appears to have been revised incorrectly upon entry of the response filed October 10, 2006. In particular, a redundant phrase was added. Correction is requested.

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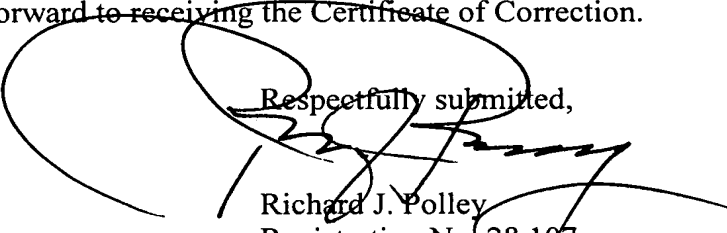
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We look forward to receiving the Certificate of Correction.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 12:

Claim 1, line 40 "compound" should be changed to --dendrimer--

Column 10, lines 49 to 50, the following text should be deleted:

"cross.polyimide. The following Figure present the FTIR-ATR spectra before and after"

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